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For: Constructions and Selection of a Finite	)	
Mixture Model for Using in Clustering)	)	
and Vector Quantization	)	
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***Figs. 3A-3B & 4 are too faint. Please provide replacement drawings***

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